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Ashwani Prabhakar is a Litigation Associate in our **Trusts and Estates** planning and litigation practice. For five years he served as the Principal Law Clerk for New York Surrogate Court Judge Margarita Lopez Torres, where he learned Trust and Estate litigation. He later became an Associate attorney in two regional law firms, focusing on Surrogate Court litigation. He is well-versed in trusts and estates litigation, and helps trusts and estates clients identify and recognize potential litigation disputes that can arise from a will and wealth preservation plans at probate.

Thought Leadership

As an Adjunct Professor of law at New Your Law School, he taught Principals of Legal Analysis, and leverages that experience when addressing the individual needs of his clients. Ashwani has also shared his thought leadership through articles published in the the New York Law Journal and the New York Bar Association's Trusts and Estates magazine. He is frequent instructor of Continuing Legal Education (CLE) classes to trusts and estates attorneys, teaching classes that include: "How Litigation Can Solve Cases of Elder Abuse", "Ethical Issues in Trusts and Estates Litigation", and "The Nuts and Bolts of Surrogate Court Proceedings".

Community Involvement

Focused on giving back and serving his community throughout his career, he has served the indigent population of New York and their ability to obtain and remain in their homes at the office of the Attorney General and as a Supervising Attorney at The Legal Aid Society. Accordingly, he brings the same care, concern and compassion to his clients along with a sympathetic approach to their trusts and estates needs.



Court Admissions

Ashwani is admitted in New Jersey and New York; both the federal Southern District of New York and Eastern District of New York.

Practices

Commercial Litigation, Trusts & Estates Law

Admissions

New York

- U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of New York

New Jersey

Education

Brooklyn Law School, J.D., 2002

SUNY Albany, B.A., 1999